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In re Application of:

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Entitled: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR USING MULTIPLE OPERATING SYSTEMS

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REQUEST FOR FILING A NATIONAL PATENT APPLICATION

Transmitted herewith for filing, please find the following:

- ☒ 1. Specification, claims, and abstract of the above-referenced patent application having 21 pages.
- ☒ 2. 3 sheet(s) of drawing(s) (☒ formal / ☐ informal) comprising Figures 1 through 3.
- ☒ 3. Declaration and executed Power of Attorney's (☒ signed ☐ unsigned).
- ☐ 3A. No filing fee, Oath, or Declaration is enclosed pursuant to 37 C.F.R 1.53(d).
- ☐ 4. Information Disclosure Statement along with Form PTO-1449 and references.
- ☐ 5. This is a: ☐ Continuation-In-Part; ☐ Divisional; ☐ Continuation; ☐ substitute Application (MPEP 201.09) of Application Serial No. ☐ filed ☐; ☐ reissue of U.S. Patent No. ☐ filed on ☐.

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- (a) ☐ is concurrently being filed in that prior Application,
(b) ☐ was previously filed in that prior Application,
(c) ☐ is not necessary for copendency.

____ 7. Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on filing in _____.

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